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Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission

Note by the Secretary-General

1. The Secretary-General has received notification on 31 October 2011 of the resignation of Gilberto Paranhos Velloso (Brazil) from membership of the International Civil Service Commission, effective 6 October 2011. The General Assembly will therefore be required at its current session to appoint a person to fill the remainder of the term of office of Mr. Paranhos Velloso, which expires on 31 December 2013.

2. Accordingly, the Secretary-General has the honour to request, pursuant to rule 15 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, the inclusion in the agenda of its sixty-sixth session, under agenda item 115, entitled "Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments", of an additional sub-item entitled "Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission".

3. Owing to the nature of the sub-item, the Secretary-General further requests that it be allocated to the Fifth Committee.

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